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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA ROANOKE DIVISION

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STEPHAN P. STERLING-EARL,)
Petitioner,	Civil Action No. 7:06CV00370
)
v.) <u>FINAL ORDER</u>
)
COL. RONALD MATTHEWS, <u>et al.</u> ,) By: Hon. Jackson L. Kiser
Respondents.) Senior United States District Judge

For the reasons stated in the accompanying memorandum opinion, it is now

ORDERED

that the petition for writ of habeas corpus filed by the petitioner, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2241, shall be and hereby is **DISMISSED** and **STRICKEN** from the active docket of the court.

The Clerk is directed to send certified copies of this order and the accompanying memorandum opinion to the petitioner and counsel of record for the respondent.

ENTER: This day of June 2006.